

# PHAPLU AIRPORT



## **Brief Description**

Phaplu Airport is situated at Solu Dudhkund Municipality of Solukhumbu District, Province No. 1. The airport is in close proximity to District Headquarter, Salleri. This airport is the gateway to Khumbu Trekking Route.

## **General Information**

Name	PHAPLU	
Location Indicator	VNPL	
IATA Code	PPL	
Aerodrome Reference Code	1B	
Aerodrome Reference Point	273053 N/0863510 E	
Province/District	1(One)/Solukhumbu	
Distance and Direction from City	1 Km North West	
Elevation	2468 m. /8097 ft.	
Contact	Off: 977-38520153 Tower: 977-38520153 Fax: 977-38520153 AFS: VNPLYDYX E-mail: phaplu_cao@caanepal.gov.np	
Operation Hours	16 <sup>th</sup> Feb to 15 <sup>th</sup> Nov	0600LT-1215LT
	16 <sup>th</sup> Nov to 15 <sup>th</sup> Feb	0630LT-1215LT
Status	In Operation	
Year of Start of Operation	October, 1976	

Serviceability	All Weather
Land	Approx. 84288.04 m <sup>2</sup>
Re-fueling Facility	Not Available
Service	AFIS
Type of Traffic Permitted	Visual Flight Rules (VFR)
Type of Aircraft	D228, DHC6, L410, Y12
Schedule Operating Airlines	Tara Air, Sita Air, Nepal Airlines, Summit Air
Schedule Connectivity	Kathmandu, Lukla
RFF	Not Available

### Infrastructure Condition

#### Airside

Runway	Type of Surface	Bituminous Paved (Asphalt Concrete)
	Runway Dimension	680 m x 20 m
	Runway Designation	02/20
Parking Capacity	Three D228 Types	
Size of Apron	1600 sq.m.	
Apron Type	Asphalt Concrete	

#### Passenger Facilities

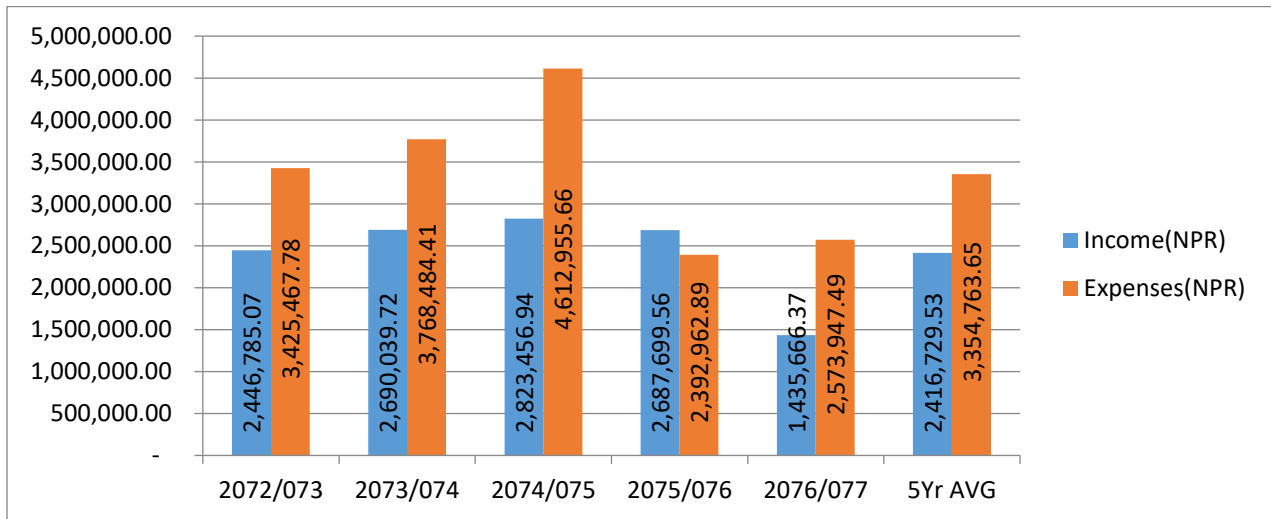
Hotels	Yes (city area)
Restaurants	Yes
Transportations	Jeep, Tractor, Van
Internet Facility	Wi-Fi
Cable TV	Yes

#### Airport Facilities

<b>Console</b>	One Man Position Tower Console with Associated Equipment and Accessories	
<b>Communication, Navigation &amp; Surveillance Systems</b>		
	Communication	HF SSB, VHF
<b>Security and Facilitations</b>		
	Hand Held Metal Detector	Yes
<b>Meteorological Services</b>		Tower Observation
<b>Electro-Mechanical Facilities</b>		
	Power Supply	Yes (Single Phase & Solar Supply)
	Stand -by-supply	Solar, Inverter
	Air Conditioner	Yes

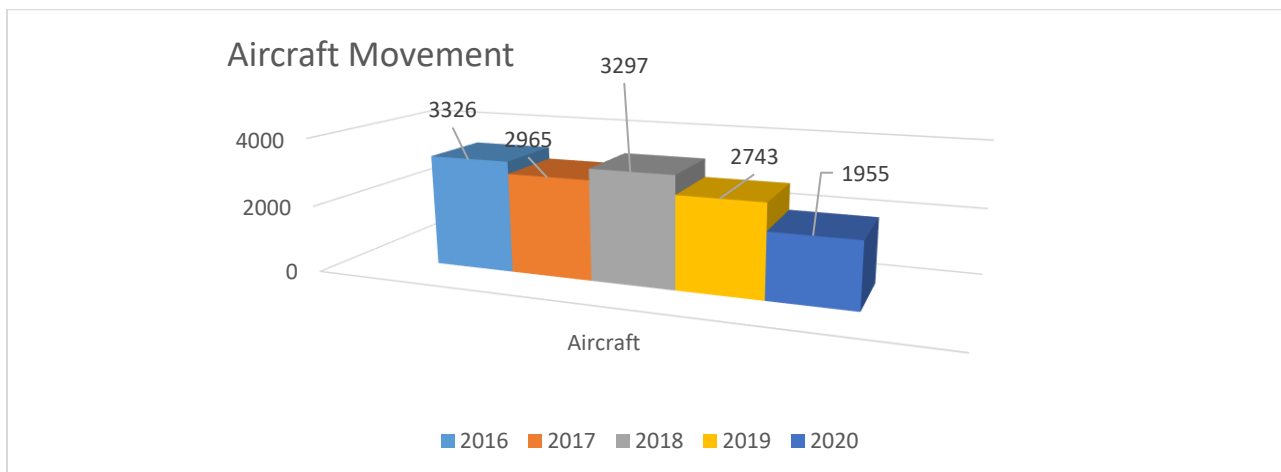
### Financial Overview (Income & Expenditure)

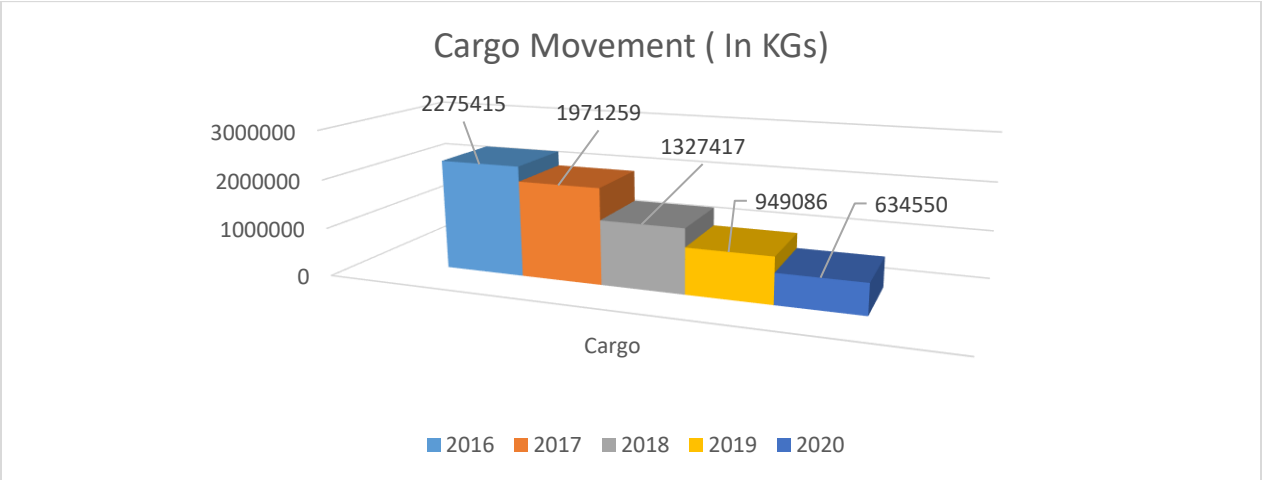
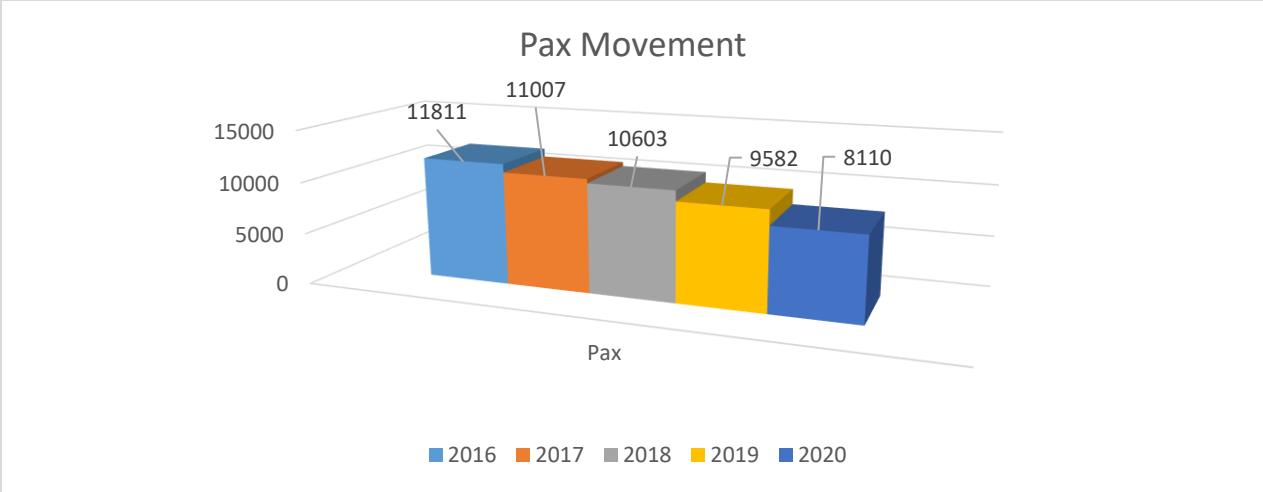
Fiscal Year	Income(NPR)	Expenses(NPR)
2072/073	2,446,785.07	3,425,467.78
2073/074	2,690,039.72	3,768,484.41
2074/075	2,823,456.94	4,612,955.66
2075/076	2,687,699.56	2,392,962.89
2076/077	1,435,666.37	2,573,947.49
5Yr AVG	2,416,729.53	3,354,763.65



Note: Expenses do not include Staff Expenses and Expenses Directly incurred by Head Office.

### Phaplu Flight Movement Comparison 2016-2020





\* Data 2020 (upto November)

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